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I am writing this letter in reaction to the proposed FCC regulations that would impact the way Christian broadcasting does business. Such regulations, if imposed, would be detrimental to freedom of speech, freedom of religion, and to the Gospel message itself. Please do not enact these regulations.

I listen to Christian radio broadcasting on a regular basis. The broadcasting often includes the message of Salvation – the Good News of Jesus Christ. Every day, Christian radio airwaves are filled with the message of Jesus Christ's life, death, and Resurrection. People are told what they must do to have eternal life through Christ. What message could possibly be more important?

If these proposed regulations are enforced, Christian radio stations would be subject to community advisory boards that may ultimately require the broadcasters to alter, or delete, the Gospel Message. Thousands – maybe millions – of people would not hear of the Good News of Christ. The most important, urgent message of our day would be silenced.

I strongly disagree with the proposed regulations. I urge the FCC to repeal them.

Thank you, Diane Watt Killeen, TX